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CURRENT TOPICS.

THE NEWS IN BRIEF.

THE German Government has prohibited the importation of American pork.

The Prince of Wales asks that the sentence of the man who threatened his life be commuted.

THE starch manufacturers of the West met in Chicago the other evening and formed a pool to prevent overproduction.

AN agreement for the exchange of money orders has been signed by the United States and Belgium, to go into effect January 1.

A DANGEROUS lunatic, named Sanders, has been arrested in London for sending a letter to Gladstone containing threats of murder.

In consequence of the prevalence of diphtheria and other diseases, the Boston health authorities have forbidden public funerals.

THE Judge Advocate-General of the army decides that the failure of officers to pay their debts is not a violation of the discipline of war.

THE Russian University of Kazan has been closed on account of disorderly conduct by the students, who revolted against severe police regulations.

THE Emperor and Empress of Russia drove through the streets of St. Petersburg in an open sledge the other day, and reviewed a regiment of guards.

THE remains of the Tuileries in Paris will be sold at auction, 70,000 francs being the upset price, on condition that the ground be cleared within six months.

THE members of the Fish Exchange of Boston, Mass., unanimously passed a resolution to disavow, having been ignorantly deceived by a fleet of fishermen.

THE Canadian department of internal revenue has decided to keep lead tobacco under lock and key in the custody of an officer, who will issue it as required for manufacturing.

QUEEN VICTORIA personally presented 370 decorations to officers and soldiers who distinguished themselves in Egypt. Nearly all the members of the royal family witnessed the ceremony.

NOTICE of contest has been served upon William H. Calkins, Congressman-elect from the Thirteenth District of Indiana, by John H. Winterbottom, on the ground of fraud and intimidation.

THE Secretary of the Interior modifies his former decision wherein he held that mesquite was not timber wood, so as to prevent the railroad companies cutting mesquite while allowing the privilege to farmers.

THE jury investigating the Poor Asylum disaster at Halifax, N. S., censure the authorities for want of forethought in not providing for the escape of helpless inmates in the hospital ward at the top of the building.

IN accordance with the facts elicited by careful investigation, the grand jury ignored the bill against Mr. John A. Cockrell for the killing of A. W. Slayback, in the office of the Post-Dispatch, St. Louis, Mo., by a vote of 11 to 1.

NATHAN APPLETON, of Boston, who has applied for a new charter for a Cape Cod Canal Company, states that Count de Lesseps will be interested with him, as also General Turr, the Austrian engineer. The cost will require two years' time and cost \$3,000,000, and the estimated annual revenue therefrom is \$250,000.

THE Commissioner of Indian Affairs, in a letter to Miles Sac Indians, Minnesota, refuses to permit them to come to Washington for the celebration of the Centennial, adding: "The treaty will be faithfully adhered to, and so long as they refrain from committing outrages they will not be removed to White Earth Agency."

SPAIN has resolved to adopt measures in conjunction with France looking to a suppression of the anarchist movement. At a cabinet council the other day the Minister of the Interior announced the arrest in Andalusia of thirty Socialists connected with the Barcelona arrested in Lyons. He also stated that other arrests had been made in Catalonia.

A BAND of Piegans Indians made a raid on the herd of the Crow scouts at Fort Custer, Montana, the other day, and ran off thirty ponies. The Crows gave chase, overhauled the Piegans twenty miles from the fort, and after a brisk fight, in which a couple of Piegans were killed, retook their ponies. On the next night the Piegans made another raid on the Crow herd, and got safely away with ten ponies.

IMPORTANT action was taken by the Labor Congress in Cleveland, Ohio. Resolutions were passed to encourage the formation of the State federation to influence legislation and favoring the incorporation of trades unions in order to give them more stability and permanence. Tenement house cigar-making was strongly disapproved. A committee was appointed to obtain legal advice as to the constitutionality of the Chinese bill, with a view of perfecting it if shown to be deficient. The enforcement of the eight-hour law was demanded. There was a sharp debate over the admission of the Knights of Labor, and it was finally voted to let them in on the basis of Trades Assemblies. It was also decided to admit one delegate from each local labor and from all bona fide trades unions of women.

THE Chief of the Bureau of Statistics reports that during the month of October there arrived in the Customs districts of Baltimore, Boston, Detroit, Huron, Minnesota, New Orleans, New York, Passaic, Philadelphia and San Francisco, 67,689 passengers, of whom 45,968 were immigrants, 3,867 citizens of the United States returned from abroad, and 3,353 aliens not intending to remain in the United States. Of this total number of immigrants there arrived from England and Wales, 7,650; Ireland, 3,415; Scotland, 1,035; Austria, 688; Belgium, 198; Bohemia, 481; Denmark, 595; France, 511; Germany, 17,693; Hungary, 963; Italy, 1,234; Netherlands, 263; Norway, 1,103; Russia, 205; Poland, 147; Sweden, 3,516; Switzerland, 350; Dominion of Canada, 6,440; and from all other countries, 219.

PERSONAL AND GENERAL.

STYLVESTER BOHR and Ransom Willis

met a horrible fate in the straw-board works at Elkhart, Ind., the other day. A rotten board precipitated them into a vat of boiling pulp, and when taken out the flesh dropped from their bones. George Bridenstien and Patrick McKenna were fatally scalded by the bursting of a lead vat in a rendering house near Bridgeport, Ohio, on the same day.

FIFTEEN hundred miners have been thrown out of work by a fire in the Short Mountain colliery, near Lyons, Pa.

A NIGHT express on the Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis road was thrown down an embankment by train-wreckers, near Union Station, Ohio, Nov. 22. The passengers escaped with slight bruises. Four trainmen were badly hurt.

H. C. WATTE was robbed of \$1,600 by a masked highwayman near Cold Springs, Minn., the other day.

THE steamship Wearmouth, from Quebec to London, went to pieces on one of the Magdalen Islands and sixteen seamen were lost.

JOHN HENZEN, a resident of Milwaukee, Wis., who weighed 480 pounds, literally choked to death, and no coffin sufficiently large to receive his remains could be obtained.

A SAILOR named Burns, hailing from Buffalo, N. Y., was found pinned to the track by a car-wheel, in Toledo, Ohio, the other morning. He died while an arm was being amputated. He had been drinking, and probably went to sleep on the rail.

FOUR men charged with complicity in the murder of the Joyce family, in Ireland, pleaded guilty and asked mercy from the court, but were sentenced to death.

W. T. WHITNEY, a Justice of the Peace and prominent citizen of Marshalltown, Iowa, pleaded guilty before the Mayor's court to peeping through windows into private houses at unseemly hours.

IN the inquest on the death of Henry Clark and John Lee, employees who lost their lives at the Park Theater fire, in New York City, the jury rendered a verdict censuring the Inspector of the Building Bureau and the Fire Commissioner, for neglect of duty in not condemning the proscenium walls of the theater, which were wooden partitions, and should have been brick or fire-proof material.

D. R. HALE, formerly manager of the Chicago Clearing-house, and his wife are under arrest at Milwaukee, Wis., for robbing jewelry stores. Hale's friends claim that he is a victim of a dishonest woman, who has been the wife of a noted burglar now in jail.

GEN. THOMAS REYNOLDS was held in \$3,000 bail, in the United States Court at Madison, Wis., the other day, for signing the names of the guests to pension papers and drawing money thereon.

THE drug house of Gilbert Brothers & Co., in Baltimore, Md., was destroyed by fire the other day. James Shaw, the porter, was fatally burned, five firemen were severely injured by falling timbers, and a pair of gas at work on the second floor were rescued while the stairway was in flames.

HARVEY BAUGH, a young brakeman, was cut to pieces by a train at Bellaire, Ohio, Nov. 22.

JAMES O'DONNELL, a butcher, blew out the gas in his room at the Menger Hotel, San Antonio, Texas, the other night. Some of the guests discovered the fact in time to save his life.

JOHN KELLY was fatally stabbed by Michael Meehan, a fellow-laborer, during a drunken brawl at Sunbury, Pa., the other night.

THIRTY lives were lost by the wreck of the steamer Winton, off the French coast, the other day.

DAN VAN WAGNER, a desperate character serving a sentence of 45 years for a murderous assault, made an eloquent prayer in the chapel of the prison at Ionia, Mich., the other night, and then made his escape.

TWO negroes were cremated at the Sloss furnace in Birmingham, Ala., Nov. 22. They were cleaning the stack, and becoming overpowered by gas fell into the mass of ore.

FRANK PORTER, aged 13, pleaded guilty to tampering with the switches of the Birmingham Railroad Company, at Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 23, and was committed for the action of the grand jury.

ABRAHAM MARKS, a New York attorney, has been sentenced to thirty days in the county jail for contempt, in assisting opposing counsel while a case was progressing in the Supreme Court.

HON. C. B. FARWELL, of Chicago, was severely hurt by falling into the cellar of a new building the other day.

NINE boys have been arrested at New Haven, Conn., for breaking boxes of the wheels of freight cars and stealing off with the wheels; fifteen freight cars were thus made useless.

TWO miners were killed and three others seriously injured in the Oxford shaft, near Scranton, Pa., the other night. Hundreds of large icicles which had collected on the sides of the shaft became loose and fell with great force upon a platform of timbering near the bottom, and the unfortunate were crushed and buried beneath the entire mass.

THE body of Newton Ashton, aged 24, was found in the woods near Martin's Ferry, Ohio, Nov. 22, with a bullet-hole in the temple. A young lady to whom he was engaged had just given him back his ring, and as he had threatened to take his life unless she married him a verdict of suicide was rendered.

FIFTEEN Spanish soldiers were injured by an explosion of powder at the barracks in Madrid the other day. The building was demolished.

T. A. H. CONES, a young physician, was killed by a train near Thornton, Ind., Nov. 23. He was crossing the track, and failed to hear the whistle.

WHOLESALE robbery of the mails came from Denver, Colo., is complained of. Over \$500,000 in drafts and checks have been taken.

At a fire in Indianapolis, Ind., Nov. 24, Eddie Daily and Ella Keenan, servants sleeping in an upper room, were burned to death.

SEVEN workmen were killed and a number of others injured by the fall of a railway bridge near London, England, Nov. 24.

B. H. CRABSTER, postmaster at Shelbyville, Ky., for the past ten years, killed himself with a revolver.

DAVID EVANS, an inventor who had spent the last few years of a long life in vain

upon a perpetual motion scheme at Weirman & Beaver's works, near Wilkes-Barre, Pa., sent three bullets into his brain, Nov. 23, leaving a letter of explanation ending: "It is clear and evident that I am in the utmost poverty and distress. Having no health or strength to be a slave any more, I believe it prudent to leave this tyrannical and oppressive world and to be a pauper no more."

A TRAIN on the Stillwater Branch of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad was wrecked at St. Croix, Wis., the other day, caused by a defective rail. The engine went down an embankment. Engineer Vandewater was instantly killed and the fireman badly injured. A number of passengers were slightly hurt.

ROBBERS raided the town of Arlington, Texas, the other night. A grocer was compelled to hand out a large sum of money, and several dwellings were ransacked.

At Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 23, Miss Mattie Christman, daughter of Dr. Christman, and a prominent young lady in society, took a dose of strychnine mistaking it for quinine. It threw her into most terrible convulsions, and death soon came to her relief.

THE business people of Morris, Minn., lost more than \$100,000 by fire, Nov. 23. Clark & Keen, woolen goods, Philadelphia, Pa., by the burning of Arrol's mills on the same day.

Mrs. MOSES WELLS made her bed too near the fire and was fatally burned at the residence of her son, near Jake's Run, W. Va., the other night.

REV. R. H. WOODRUFF, of Baltimore, Md., who pleaded guilty to opening a letter with the intent of abstracting correspondence and secreting and embezzling the same, has been sentenced to pay a fine of \$200.

SOME union leaders in a shoe factory at Montreal, Canada, struck because men outside their organization were given work. The Manufacturers' Association then resolved to dismiss all leaders unless the strikers returned to labor, an act which seems likely to precipitate a general walk-out by ten thousand operatives.

THERE has been a terrible storm on the lakes. Wrecks are reported on Lakes Erie and Ontario and buildings destroyed at Buffalo.

THE latest census bulletin shows that the manufacturers of the United States employ a capital of \$2,790,223,000 and produce \$5,300,000 worth of goods annually.

MORE than 3,000,000 white persons over 10 years of age and unable to write are enumerated in the census returns.

TWENTY-cent pieces are to be retired from circulation.

MR. HAZEN, Assistant Postmaster-General, has issued his periodical circular of the announcement of the sale at auction of undelivered packages of merchandise at the Dead Letter Office. The list embraces a catalogue of almost every conceivable thing within the limit of the right allowed for mailing packages, and as a rule does not contain anything of great value. There are over 2,000 lots of goods catalogued. By far the largest number of articles embraced in any class are various kinds of wearing apparel, especially for children. There are some and even hundreds of pairs of baby shoes, socks, hosiery, hair nets, hair ties, hair combs, switches, pig tails, tobacco, hair puzzle, cow milkers, fiddle strings, odd buttons, cloths' caps, toy pistols, trunks, trunks, mouse-fishing tackle, and underwear, various kinds of pipes, etc. There are dozens upon dozens of ostrich feathers for hats and bonnets, ribbons, lace fichus, kid gloves, with every variety of children's toys that are light and of little bulk.

LATE NEWS ITEMS.

THE President has removed the marshal, postmaster, assistant postmaster of Washington, the foreman of the Congressional Record office, and Pacific Railroad Commissioner Spencer, for interfering with the administration of justice in the star route trial.

THE congressional river investigating committee has adjourned to Washington. The depth of channel in the jetties was found satisfactory, but some of the other work will be ruthlessly cut.

W. D. HORT, telegraph operator at the census works in Leavenworth, Kan., and a train dispatcher named Bailey, at Lawrence, had a dispute over the wires the other day. Bailey insulted Hort, and refused to apologize, whereupon the operator went to Lawrence and mortally wounded the train dispatcher by shooting him in the chest.

THE explosion of an oil tank in Devore's works at Brooklyn, N. Y., Nov. 30, caused the loss of two lives and a quarter of a million dollars' worth of property.

An engine dashed into a Pullman car, near Newcastle, Canada, Nov. 26. No passengers were hurt. The engine-driver, fireman and brakeman were badly scalded. One died and the other two were not expected to live.

A MINER named Forsythe put some sticks of dynamite in the oven, at Bellevue, Pa., the other day, to thaw. He was not there when the explosion occurred, but when he hurried to the scene he found his house wrecked, a little son dead, two friends bruised and cut, and his wife dying.

IN a trial for damages against the town of Springfield, Me., for the death of a young lady by a defective highway, one doctor testified that the collar-bone was broken, which two others contradicted. The first to head off a post-mortem, went to the cemetery to exhumate the body and make good his testimony by breaking the collar-bone. He was discovered in the act by a person who was at first bribed, but who has since told the whole story.

FIVE lives were lost by the wreck of the schooner Collingwood, in Lake Michigan, during the recent storm.

J. H. WILMOT was shot three times and fatally wounded in a room at the St. Mar Hotel, Washington, D. C., the other night. J. P. Agnew, a brother-in-law, and a pension clerk named Turnbull had been arrested, but declined to say anything about the affair.

THE remains of Taylor Duncan were found in the woods near Darlington, Ind., the other day, the body full of buckshot, an empty gun close by, and the pockets of his clothing rifled. Buck Stout, a young man of questionable character, was arrested in Indianapolis, and confessed the crime.

KANSAS STATE NEWS.

Official Returns.

The following is the official vote of the State except Potawatomi and Labette counties:

GOVERNOR. LE. GOVERNOR
J. C. Johnson
G. W. Gilchrist
C. A. Johnson

COUNTIES.
Allen..... 1055 2014 80 1270 845 410
Anderson..... 997 710 885 1108 613 410
Atchison..... 1230 2350 124 3084 23 5 36
Barbour..... 341 255 81 636 276 36
Barton..... 735 1004 145 874 672 136
Bourbon..... 1667 1685 195 1662 1680 206
Brown..... 1215 1510 164 1674 1082 124
Butler..... 1530 1524 408 1044 1227 431
Chase..... 458 597 345 650 455 355
Chautauque..... 897 816 370 1012 678 305
Cherokee..... 1517 1629 1061 1744 1068 674
Cass..... 1407 902 454 1115 450 585
Cloud..... 1100 1241 438 1838 567 1072
Coffey..... 1294 1127 282 1684 651 1033
Cowley..... 1955 1671 220 2553 1384 346
Crawford..... 1474 1555 271 1701 1233 430
Davis..... 434 629 188 1012 579 355
Decatur..... 227 204 27 431 142 28
Dickinson..... 1112 1437 247 1636 148 310
Doniphan..... 1044 915 377 1062 81 163
Douglas..... 1861 1455 825 2291 1127 515
Edwards..... 1294 1127 282 1684 651 1033
Franklin..... 1955 1671 220 2553 1384 346
Graham..... 301 301 171 274 102 152
Greenwood..... 904 806 275 1077 629 355
Harper..... 1010 1047 188 1230 84 20
Haskell..... 649 1716 201 1416 1409 326
Jackson..... 1036 855 84 1217 812 399
Jefferson..... 1251 1815 178 1638 148 310
Leavenworth..... 1468 1455 150 1620 900 111
Lincoln..... 1148 905 709 1504 415 873
Lyon..... 1044 915 377 1062 81 163
Miami..... 1522 1521 162 1684 10 1 2
Marion..... 1182 1501 388 1462 1482 327
McPherson..... 1517 1629 1061 1744 1068 674
Morris..... 718 840 63 974 570 15
Morton..... 1517 1629 1061 1744 1068 674
Nemaha..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Neosho..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Ness..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Newton..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Ogawa..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Pawnee..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
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Rawlins..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
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Reno..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Rice..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Rooks..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Rush..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Russell..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Saline..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Sawyer..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Shawnee..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Sheridan..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Smith..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Stafford..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Sumner..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Trego..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Wabasha..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Washington..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Wilson..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Woodson..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328
Wyandotte..... 1044 1124 228 1191 1941 328

TOTAL..... 17970 20712 2472 24935 18940 22786
* Unofficial majority.

Figures for Farmers.

The following general summary from the quarterly report of the Kansas State Board of Agriculture shows the acres and product of principal field crops for 1881-1882:

Wheat, 1,0